

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Page 7, lines 27-28, please replace the paragraph with the following paragraph, which includes markings to show changes made relative to the immediate prior version:

Glass transition temperature, T_g , is the temperature at which the material changes from a viscous or rubbery condition to a hard and relatively brittle condition. In one embodiment, the fiber of the present invention has a T_g of at least about -30°C .